

RECEIVES PAPERS FOR 96TH PATENT

Boston Man, Friend of Lincoln, Makes Record as Inventor.

Claims He Can Send Wireless Messages on Land or Water.

He Constructed a Regulator and Receiver Now Used by Marconi.

BOSTON, March 1.—Augustus C. Carey, of 638 Tremont street, who in his younger days enjoyed the acquaintance of Abraham Lincoln and had the pleasure on several occasions of shaking the hand of the war President, has now in his hale old age just been granted the papers from Washington for his ninety-sixth patent.

While a large number of his patents have been of a type which have had great commercial value and are widely used today in all parts of the world, this latest bids fair to be the most important of his long and useful career. On Lincoln's birthday, just passed, a patent was granted to him for a regulator and receiver, which is nothing more or less than the coherer or detector used by Marconi in his wireless telegraph. With this invention, upon which he has been at work for many years, and the knowledge he now possesses, Mr. Carey claims he can telegraph overland just as accurately and as secretly as can a telegraph company today.

Friend of Prof. Henry. Speaking of his invention and wireless telegraphy, Mr. Carey said:

"What is it good for and how is it going to benefit mankind? Let me tell you a few facts. Prof. Joseph Henry, of the Smithsonian Institute at Washington invented an electric magnet, by the use of which he could send sounds of varying length over or through a wire, and at a distance of 100 feet.

"This fact was utilized by Prof. Morse and others, resulting in the erection of poles and the stringing of wires from city to city all over the country, and in fact the world. The inability of these wires to resist the storms of winter, and the great cost of all the poles and wires necessary for the volume of traffic in such messages, set other inventors to thinking about a way to avoid the use of poles and wires altogether.

"Being a friend of and a frequent caller upon Prof. Henry, he exhibited to me many of his inventions and a large number of his experiments; among the latter was one showing the peculiar influence of particles of steel under the influence of electricity.

"I became deeply interested in this and it was my inspiration for the present patent. After experimenting several years, in 1886 I made an instrument which I then named a regulator and receiver. It is the same instrument used at present. I exhibited this regulator and receiver to electricians in and about Boston the year I made it and it was well laughed at. (Here the jolly old inventor chuckled in great delight.)

Gets Patent After Five Years. "On March 11, 1902, I applied to Washington for a patent for this instrument, but on July 5, 1904, that application was for satisfactory reasons side-tracked, and a new application was filed. On January 17, 1907, my application was allowed and the patent was issued on this invention on February 12 last, nearly five years after by first application was filed.

"Another result of the introduction of wireless telegraphy was the effort to find a way to send messages overland as well as by water. I made the claim that I can now do this as accurately and just as secretly as can any of the big telegraph companies using the wire conductors, and further, that I can do so for just one-half the cost for installation and maintenance.

"I claim to be the first inventor of the regulator and receiver, or the coherer or detector, which is the very heart of wireless telegraphy.

"At present a message sent by wireless from one point, say from New York to a point south along the coast, spreads out and can be caught by all operators within a certain radius at sea or along the coast, not in a direct line to the receiving point of the message. There is no real secrecy about such messages.

"With my system, I claim I can send a message direct from one point to another, through the air, without other operators not in the direct line of communication being aware of it. And I claim I can do this overland as well as by sea."



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Mrs. Von Stosch-Forney Gives Recital of Songs With Remarkable Success



MRS. LEONORA VON STOSCH-FORNEY,
Who Entertained Brilliant Audience at Song Recital at the Cairo.

Mrs. Leonora von Stosch-Forney, wife of Capt. Stephen Forney, of New York, gave a charming song recital in the Cairo last evening before an audience of distinguished guests which filled every available space in the pretty ballroom. Mrs. Forney sang a program of songs, including "Vest Darte" (from "La Tosca"), Puccini; "Parla," Ardit; "Un Doux Lien," Delbruck; "Ständchen," Strauss; "Still we die Nacht," Brahms; "Fruchtlingzeit," Becker; "Could I?" Toast; "O, For a Day of Spring," Andrews; "Tis But a Little Faded Flower," "Ben Bolt," and "Last Rose of Summer" (by request).

PARKS IN NORTHEAST ASKED BY RESIDENTS

The members of the Park Association, Northeast Washington, are preparing a petition urging that more parks in the Northeast section of the city be established. It will be sent to President Roosevelt in a few days. The association says the northeast has been neglected in the general improvement plans and says that it wants a park at Twelfth street and Florida avenue, northeast. The name of Roosevelt Square is suggested for it. Those who have signed the petition are: A. H. Holstein, Keene Richard For-

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BOY BURGLARS ROB ALEXANDRIA SHOP

Ham, Cigarettes, Candy Cigars, and Brooms Their Plunder.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU. ALEXANDRIA, VA., MARCH 1. Thieves last night entered the grocery store of Frank Adams, at the corner of Columbus and Wolfe streets, by way of the rear door, and stole a lot of tobacco, cigarettes, beans, ham, candy, cigars, and brooms. This is the second time in the last few weeks that Mr. Adams' store has been robbed.

The Friday Night Dancing Academy will give its opening dance at Odd Fellows Hall this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Announcement has just been made of the marriage to Rockville on September 23, 1906, of Harry D. Kirk, of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation in this city, to Miss Willa Anna Reppert, of Culpeper.

Alvin E. McClary, a Southern railway conductor, of 27 South Payne street, died in Lynchburg, of meningitis yesterday morning. Mr. McClary was thirty-eight years of age, and is survived by a widow and several children.

The Red, White and Blue Club has been started in this city by a number of young ladies. The officers are: President, Miss Ruth Watkins; vice president, Miss Pearl Schwartzman; secretary, Miss Edna Mae Baader; treasurer, Miss Josephine Steiner.

At a meeting of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company last Wednesday evening, Harry White was elected secretary and treasurer.

WEALTHY WIDOW CHOKED TO DEATH; SAFE IS RIFLED

UPPER SANDUSKY, Ohio, March 1.—With choked out of the clutching fingers which choked out her life still on her throat, Mrs. John Pausch, a rich widow, who lived alone, was today found dead in her home.

In an adjoining room was a strong box, broken open and rifled. It is believed she was killed Monday night. Mrs. Pausch leaves a \$300,000 estate.

SEATTLE 1909 EXPOSITION \$700,000 APPROPRIATION

Without a division, the Senate passed the bill appropriating \$700,000 in aid of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, to be held at Seattle, Washington, in 1909. Senators Hale and Lodge spoke against it, while speeches were made in support of it by Senators Piles, Depew, and Spooner.

SUES MRS. M. S. TOWNSEND ON ACCOUNT OF STABLES

Suit has been filed in the District Supreme Court by Harriet S. Turner, through her attorneys, Douglass & Douglass, for \$15,000 damages against Mrs. Mary Scott Townsend. Mrs. Turner alleges that her home, 2188 Florida avenue northwest, has been damaged, and her property depreciated by reason of the erection nearby of buildings owned by Mrs. Townsend, and used for stables.

WRONG PRESCRIPTION. "You need exercise," said the physician, blandly.

"Exercise—me a letter carrier?"

"Pardon me," said the physician.

"What you need is rest. Join the police force."—Chicago Chronicle.

SENT A PIG'S TAIL THROUGH U. S. MAIL

Joker Tries to Start New Fad, But Makes Postal Chiefs Mad.

CLEVELAND, March 1.—When is a pig's tail decent and when is it indecent? Is it against the peace and dignity of the United States Government for a humble citizen to deftly remove the curling tail of a cute little porker, place it in a box and send it through the mails to an acquaintance?

This is the momentous question with which the officials in the United States district attorney's office are wrestling at present.

Held in the village calaboose at Wellington, Loraine county, yesterday afternoon the technical charge of being fugitives from justice, Claude Platt and Jennie Underwood were brought to Cleveland last night by Deputy United States Marshal Schwentner and lodged in the county jail.

They are charged with sending the pig's tail through the postoffice at Wellington to Mrs. Jessie Platt. Reported could not see any joke and rejected the gift to the postal authorities. Lying in an elaborate green nestling amid satin surroundings, the caudal appendage is safely locked in the big steel safe in the district attorney's office. It is quite the most unique bit of evidence that ever fell into the hands of the Government authorities.

This morning the couple will have an opportunity to explain their little prank before a United States commissioner. Meanwhile the pig's tail is being carefully guarded.

COMMISSIONERS TO MEET INFANTRY THIS EVENING

The Washington Light Infantry basketball team will meet the Commissioners' team this evening in the former's hall, in the last professional league game of the season between these two sides. The Commissioners are led with the Ordways for first honors in the league, and as they have won the last three games they have played with the Infantry they stand a good show to beat out the Ordways. Tonight's game will start at 8 o'clock. The will be dancing between the halves and after the game.

AS USUAL.

Patience! In a brief two months it will be perfectly clear to you how the pennant can't possibly get away from this year's aggregation.—Indianapolis News.

HERO OF CRIMEA RECEIVES MEDAL

Great Britain Recognizes Services Rendered After Many Years.

BOSTON, March 1.—Yesterday at the British consulate, 247 Atlantic avenue, Cornelius Doyle, of 53 Decatur street, Charlestown, received from British Consul William Wyndham a silver medal in recognition of services to Great Britain rendered in the Crimean war.

The medal, which has been rarely bestowed in recent years, is the Queen's medal for the Baltic expedition in 1854-5, under Sir Charles Napier, against the Russians. Mr. Doyle, who is 78 years old, served on HMS Ajax, and was under fire on several occasions. After serving his first period of enlistment he came to this country and did not apply for a medal until late last year, when he made application through Maj. Thomas T. Stokes of the British naval and military veterans' association. Maj. Stokes succeeded in getting for him the now nearly obsolete decoration.

The medal is of silver, of the usual size, and on the face bears the head of Queen Victoria. On the reverse is "BRITANIA SEATED." Over this figure is inscribed "BALTIC," and underneath "C. Doyle, ordinary, HMS Ajax." The medal is attached to a light blue ribbon with pale yellow edges.

FRANK E. BROCKWAY DIES AT HOSPITAL

Frank E. Brockway, chief of the bookkeeping division of the Library of Congress, died yesterday afternoon at the Homeopathic Hospital. He had been in ill health for some time, and about three weeks ago went to the hospital. His condition was such that it was necessary to perform an operation, from the effects of which he did not rally.

Mr. Brockway was a native of Oswego, N. Y., and came to Washington about eight years ago. He is survived by his widow and one son. Mrs. Brockway has been confined to her bed for the last three months.

Funeral services will be held from his residence, 202 A street southeast, at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Brockway's son arrived in Washington last evening and will accompany the remains to Oswego, where they will be interred.

BOSTON THEATRICAL CHURCH PLAN OF NEGLECTED ACTORS

BOSTON, March 1.—Boston is to have a "Little Church Around the Corner." Claiming that they have been severely let alone long enough by the Boston churches, theatrical people of the city have launched the movement to establish their own sanctuary.

A fund is being raised to purchase a site, and build in the heart of the hotel and theater district.

Food Poisons

90 Per Cent of All Diseases the Result of Undigested Poisoning Foods

Men of affairs, women of society and children with active brains are too often sedentary in their habits, giving little time to exercise. To this evil is added that of high and irregular living—as a result, the stomach cannot stand the demands made upon it. The abused and overtaxed stomach does not properly do the work of digestion, food taken in ferments and the poison permeates the whole system. The body loses in weight and becomes a prey for the attack of whatever disease it may encounter.

Did it ever occur to you how busy the stomach of yours is? It only holds three pints, but in one year you force it to take in 2,400 pounds of material, digest it and prepare it for assimilation into the blood. No wonder it rebels when overworked. We crowd it with steaks and pastry, irritate its juices with spices and acids, and expect to establish the demand upon them and upon the muscles of the wall adjoining.

Think of the tons of high-seasoned game, sweetmeats and appetizers crammed into this little four-ounce mill, and then wonder, if you will, why you are dizzy or nauseated or constipated. Don't blame your stomach or curse your fate that you should be born so unfortunate. Blame yourself and apply the remedy.

First, get a small package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, taking one after each meal and at bed time. They are not a medicine, but a digestive. Your stomach is worn out and needs help, not medicine. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do the work that the stomach fails to do. There's enough power in one grain of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to digest 3,000 grains of ordinary food, so you needn't fear that anything you eat will remain in your stomach undigested.

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Overcoats that sold at from \$35 to \$50 priced now **\$22.25** Overcoats that sold up to \$30 priced now **\$13.75**

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Embrace Russian and Sailor Blouse, Norfolk and Double-breasted Jacket styles in a host of plain and fancy fabrics. Never before have we assembled so large and splendid a stock of Boys' Suits. Every model represents the latest style expression in its particular mode. The workmanship and finish on every garment are such as you may expect to find only here. Relative to values, we can confidently assert that never has it been your good fortune to buy such excellent clothing at the threshold of the season at such modest prices.

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